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Amendment A

Amendments to and Listing of the Claims:

1. (Currently amended) An overturning and folding device for a handlebar, comprising: a tube (2) extending vertically from a handlebar ~~with an end~~ base (13), a connecting member (15) next to the ~~end~~ handlebar base (13), an eccentric axle (1) and a lug bolt (12)[[.]];

a first hole (21) in ~~the~~ an axial direction and a second hole (20) in ~~the~~ a perpendicular direction relative to the first hole (21) are formed at the ~~end~~ handlebar base (13) of said tube (2), ~~they~~ which communicate with each other,

said connecting member (15) is being engaged to a fork (16) of a bicycle, ~~it~~ which defines a space (14) through which the lug bolt (12) can rotate from an axial position to a perpendicular position,

wherein the lug bolt (12) is fixed within said first hole (21) and space (14) by a fastener (8), and wherein said eccentric axle (1) is fitted ~~rotatably~~ rotatably in the second hole (20) and a third hole (5) on a head of the lug bolt (12).

2. (Currently amended) The overturning and folding device for a handlebar according to Claim 1, wherein a protrusion (3) on the ~~end~~ handlebar base (13) is provided to match a recess (6) formed in a corresponding position of said connecting member (15);

3. (Currently amended) The overturning and folding device for a handlebar according to claim 2, wherein said protrusion (3) and recess (6) are wedge-shaped.

4. (Currently amended) The overturning and folding device for a handlebar according to Claim 3, wherein a shim (18) hinged to the connecting member (15) that is rotatable around said lug bolt (12) is provided between the connecting member (15) and the fastener (8).

5. (Currently amended) The overturning and folding device for a handlebar according to claim 4, ~~wherein~~ further ~~comprises~~ including a torsion spring (17), ~~one~~ an end of the

torsion spring (17) being fixed to the connecting member (15) and ~~the~~ an other end disposed on the shim (18).

6. (Currently amended) The overturning and folding device for a handlebar according to claims 1 ~~to 5~~, wherein said eccentric axle (1) is connected to a lever (4).

7. (Currently amended) The overturning and folding device for a handlebar according to claims 6, wherein said fastener (8) is a nut.